

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives enjoy a long, proud tradition of meeting their responsibilities to the citizens of this state while upholding the virtues represented by the "Glory of Missouri": Knowledge, Liberty, Equality, Law, Justice, Fraternity, Education, Progress, Honor, Truth, Virtue, Temperance, Enterprise, and Charity; and

**Whereas**, the "Glory of Missouri" virtues were engraved in the House Chamber of the State Capitol in the early 1920s under the direction of the Decorating Commission with the inscription: "All the foregoing human qualities bind into one theme, the Glory of Missouri because no people attain these virtues unless they are great."; and

**Whereas**, the "Glory of Missouri" Award was created to encourage the values held by the early leaders of Missouri and to recognize those standards as exemplified in our schools and communities by this state's young people who are the future of Missouri; and

**Whereas**, Kimberly Diane Jones, a student at Rockwood South Middle School in Fenton, has been selected to receive the "Glory of Missouri" Award for her accomplishments in the area of JUSTICE as defined by the intent of the Decorating Commission for the Capitol in 1922: "She stands firm upon a rock, a shield under her right hand, and a scepter of authority in her left, Justice in the affairs of men is a strange mixture of the human and the divine. Sometimes there is law in it, sometimes there is mercy in it."; and

**Whereas**, the daughter of Ken and Sharon Jones, Kimberly is a mature, considerate young woman who always searches for the fair answer by analyzing all aspects of a situation, for which she shows strength and determination to voice her opinion and support the ideas she believes to be right; and

**Whereas**, Kimberly manages to find time in her busy schedule to serve as vice president of Student Council and participate in National Junior Honor Society, choir, church youth group, and basketball:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously in commending Kimberly Diane Jones for her noteworthy achievements in the pursuit of JUSTICE and in congratulating her at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Kimberly Diane Jones, as a mark of our esteem for her.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Rick Johnson  
District No. 90

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2002.

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Jim Kreider, Speaker

